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Hannah, William

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Filed 4 day of Aug 1880

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Melvin Hawaiian*

*et al*

*vs*

*et al*

Assault and Battery, Felonious, Firearms.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*C. A. Kisson*

Foreman.

Aug. 4 - 1880

*Subst. intent to injure*

*S. P. Three years, Aug 6/80*

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Form

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss. :

POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

of No. 178 South Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 19 day of July 1885  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted and  
beaten by

William Harmon (now present.)  
who pointed a loaded  
revolver at deponent  
fired the same and  
the ball struck deponent  
on the left side

Sworn to, before me, this

Deponent believes that said injury, as above set forth, was inflicted by said

William Harmon

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do h bodily harm, and without any justification  
on the part of the said assailant :

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be apprehended, and dealt with accord-  
ing to law.

Nicholas Johnson

*[Signature]*  
1885  
Police Justice.

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.:  
OF NEW YORK, }

*William Harmon* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at  
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William Harmon*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty four years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *49 Olive St*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Mail Carrier*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge  
here preferred against you?

Answer. *I am not guilty*  
*William Harmon*

Taken before me this

*[Signature]*  
POLICE JUSTICE

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, .....  
Address, .....

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, .....  
Address, .....

Police Court - First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
IN THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Nicholas Johnson*  
*House of Peterboro*  
vs.  
*William Korman*

Dated, *July 20* 18*90*

*John Kelly* Magistrate.  
*John Kelly* Officer.  
*John Kelly* Clerk.

*Witnesses*  
*W. E. Johnson*  
*of Peterboro*  
*Michael Kelly*  
*178 South St*

§ *1000* answer

at General Sessions.....  
Received at Dist. Atty's Office, .....

BAILED:

No. 1, by .....

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Residence, .....

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That *William Hannan*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *thirteenth* day of *July* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* with force and arms, at the City and  
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Nicholas Johnson*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault  
and to, at and against *him* the said *Nicholas Johnson*  
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one  
leaden bullet, which the said *William Hannan*  
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and  
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there shoot off and discharge,  
with intent *him* the said *Nicholas Johnson*  
thereby then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute  
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of  
New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County  
aforesaid, the said *William Hannan*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Nicholas Johnson*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make  
an assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Nicholas Johnson*  
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one  
leaden bullet, which the said *William Hannan*  
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and  
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there attempt to discharge,  
with intent *him* the said *Nicholas Johnson*  
thereby then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute  
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of  
New York and their dignity.

## THIRD COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said

*William Hauran*  
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Nicholas Johnson*  
then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make an  
assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Nicholas Johnson*  
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and  
charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said

in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and  
without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there shoot off and discharge,  
with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said

*Nicholas Johnson*  
wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, against the form of the Statute in  
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of  
New York and their dignity.

## FOURTH COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said

*William Hauran*  
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Nicholas Johnson*  
then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make an  
assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Nicholas Johnson*  
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and  
charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said

in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and  
without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there attempt to shoot off and  
discharge, with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said

*Nicholas Johnson*  
wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, against the form of the Statute in  
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of  
New York, and their dignity.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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Harris, James

DATE:

08/10/80



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Counsel,  
Filed 10 day of Aug 1880  
Pleads Not Guilty (11)

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P.

James D. Harris

BENJ. K. PHELPS

District Attorney.

A True Bill

*[Signature]*

Foreman.

July 12. 1880.

*[Signature]*  
J. J. D. P. F. J.

James Carricoes  
Sentence to S. P. for  
3.4. July 19/77.  
his name of Davis  
Asken. — *[Signature]*

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FORM 89 1/2

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, }

ss.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

of No. 9 East 22 Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, that on the 7 day of August 18 80

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried  
away, from the possession of deponent, from the said premises

the following property, to wit:

One Gold Watch and Chain  
and Four Gold Rings - - -

of the value of One Hundred Dollars,  
the property of deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property  
was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by

James S. Harris  
(now here) for the reasons following  
that on the said date deponent  
missed the said property and found  
that two of the said Rings were  
found in a room under the rooms  
occupied by deponent where he  
found said defendant who  
is an employee and was then in  
said room in his stocking feet  
that said defendant after the dis-  
covery of the said two Rings  
showed Officer Mangum where

Sworn to before me this 18th day of August 1880

Police Officer

the said Hatch and Chain and another  
of the said Rings were secreted un-  
der the Bouffee in the middle room of  
the first floor of said premises  
soponent therefore charges The said  
defendant with the said Larceny

Sworn to before me this }  
8<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1880 } J. J. Conroy

~~of~~ J. J. Conroy Police Justice  
City and County  
of New York

John Mangano of the 29<sup>th</sup> Dist.  
being duly sworn says the portion  
of the foregoing affidavit which  
conports to be information given by defendant  
is true of defendant's knowledge

Sworn to before me this }  
8<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1880 }

J. J. Murray Police Justice  
John Mangano

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

*James D. Harris* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—

*James D. Harris*

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

*Twenty Three years*

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

*New York City*

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

*224 Chrystie*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

*Waiter*

QUESTION.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer.—

*I am not guilty*

*James D. Harris*

*Subscribed and sworn to before me, this*  
*11th day of May, 1885*

*Henry*  
day of May, 1885  
Police Justice.

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Form 894.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Joseph Comery  
vs. J. B. 22nd St.  
James J. Hearty

ATTEST—  
Joseph Comery  
James J. Hearty

DATED Aug. 8 1880

Magistrate

Non-jury by

WITNESS:

John H. ...  
24 Street



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The People  
 vs  
 James D. Harris  
 and receiving stolen goods.  
 ind testified.

Court of General Sessions. Before Recorder Smyth  
 August 11. 1880. Indictment for grand larceny  
 Joseph Connor, sworn and exam-  
 ined testified. I board at 9 East Twenty second St; the prisoner was  
 a table waiter there for four or five weeks; on the 7<sup>th</sup>  
 of August I was at home. Had a gold watch and chain  
 and four gold rings; they were kept by Mrs Connor  
 in a bureau drawer in our room. Before we went  
 down to dinner the last thing Mrs Connor did was  
 to lock the door, I heard it distinctly as I cautioned  
 her a number of times to lock up her drawers as she  
 went out; she did lock the drawer in my presence  
 and put the key in her pocket; we went down to  
 dinner immediately and when we came up we  
 found the drawer partially open and the watch and  
 chain and four rings were missing. I went down  
 stairs and informed Mrs Porter of the theft. I saw this  
 David in the hall and told him I wanted him to come  
 with me, there was trouble in the house; we knew the  
 prisoner by the name of David Asher. I took him  
 into the first hall and he wanted to go back in  
 the rear hall. I said, "No, I want you to stay with  
 me till Mrs Porter comes. Mrs Porter appeared at the  
 steps soon and she said, "Go with Mr. Connor  
 up stairs, light every room and examine each  
 room, pantry and clothes presses as you go  
 along and see that everything is perfectly clear  
 before you leave the rooms; we started and

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examined the rooms on the second floor. I had a cane with me and I poked into the beds and looked into the clothes presses; we went to the fourth floor where my room was, when David said, "this door is open leading to the skuttle;" he opened it a little further and said, "the skuttle is off;" let us go up here." I walked up with him and went on to the roof, ~~where~~ walked across the roof and looked over the wall and says, "here is a ladder." I went back and examined the skuttle and found there were no marks of violence on it. I said, "that skuttle is open from the inside, I judge from the looks of it." He agreed with me. We went on examining the rooms. Told Mrs. Porter I would leave David ~~there~~, I wished they would see that he did not leave the house. I would get an officer. I got an officer and asked him to examine David; he searched him and found nothing on him. The officer said, "the man has not left the house, let us examine it, if he is the guilty one we will find the property in the house." He commenced searching the room, and in the room where I spied the prisoner in his stocking feet we found one of the rings on the coverlid of the bed; it was found by Mr. & Mrs. Porter. I says, David, one of the rings is found, I want you to get all the property, and the quicker you get it the better." He said, "I dont know anything about this." That was the first I accused him of taking anything." I went

on the floor below and looked the rooms more carefully over there, and while I was there they called me up stairs and said another ring had been found on the bed. I went up there and while we were searching for more the son of Mrs. Porter stepped into the hall off the dining room and says, "the rest of the goods are all found down in the bowse. I went there and there was a watch and chain and one ring, which the officer held in his hand. He said it was taken out from under the bowse. In the butter's pantry there is a little corner that David used to keep his things in. The officer said to me in the presence of the prisoner that he (the prisoner) stooped down and found the property under the bowse. The room in which the rings were found was on the third floor, it was not occupied; this was about 1/4 or 20 minutes to 8 o'clock. I can positively say that I saw one foot had no shoe on when I saw the prisoner. John Mangam sworn. I am an officer and arrested this prisoner. I searched him in the hallway and found nothing on him; then we searched the house and came down in the third story front bed room. There was a ring picked up by Mr. Porter on the bed; we went through two or three rooms and then the prisoner picked up one ring off the bed. I took possession of all the property. We went through all the other

rooms and in the dining room the prisoner poked his hand under this boufe and pulled out the watch and chain and ring. The gentleman said, "I will have to have you arrested." I took him to the station house. There was a ring found in the hallway by whom I do not know and handed to me. William J. Porter, sworn and examined. My wife keeps a boarding house at 9 East 22<sup>nd</sup> St. The prisoner was in our employ by the name of David Asher. The key that opens the boufe was in possession of Asher. I saw him take it out of his pocket after he came down stairs and before the property was found under the boufe. I know that that key will fit Mrs. Conna's bureau drawer. Joseph Conna recalled. I should judge the total value of the property was from \$125 to \$160. James S. Harris, sworn in his own behalf testified that he did not steal the gold watch and chain or the four rings from Mrs. Conna's bureau. On cross examination the prisoner made a long statement about the examination which was made of the rooms by the parties there and which he assisted in; he said he found the watch and chain at the boufe. The prisoner was convicted of grand larceny. Mr. Bell stated that the prisoner was convicted three years ago of larceny under the name of David Asher and sent to the State prison. The Court sentenced him to the State prison for five years.

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The Testimony in the  
Case of James P. Harris

filed Aug. 10.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present:*

That

*James D. Harris* —

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
*seventh* day of *August* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty at the Ward, City and County aforesaid  
with force and arms,

*One watch of the value of sixty dollars.  
One chain of the value of twenty dollars.  
Four rings of the value of five dollars each.*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Joseph Connor* —

then and  
there being found, feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such  
case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their  
dignity.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

That the said

*James D. Harris*

late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*One watch of the value of sixty dollars.  
One chain of the value of twenty dollars.  
Four rings of the value of five dollars each.*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*Joseph Connor*

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen of the said

*Joseph Connor*

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

*James D. Harris*

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously stolen,) against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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DESCRIPTION:

Hart, Carrie

DATE:

08/04/80



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*Handwritten initials/signature*

Counsel,

Filed 4 day of Aug 1880

Pleas *Not Guilty*

Robbery—First Degree, and *Station Goods.*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Carrie Clark*

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Handwritten signature*

Aug 5. 1880 Foreman.

*Handwritten signature*  
Jury Committee of  
the County of  
St. Louis  
L. M. Lynn

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The People vs. Carrie Hart } Court of General Sessions. Before Judge  
Gildersleeve. August 5. 1880. Indictment  
for robbery in the first degree.

Gottlieb Schlenger, sworn and examined through  
the interpreter testified. I first saw this woman the night this  
happened, it was 11 1/2 o'clock, I had been to a concert,  
I went from home at 8 o'clock. I did not know my  
way home. I looked at the lamp post and asked  
this woman if that was 35<sup>th</sup> St. Then she said  
I should go with her two houses away; there was  
another girl with her; then I said, "this is not my  
way; then the other girl took me by the arm and  
this prisoner took my watch and money; the other  
girl had me by both arms and turned me  
round; my watch was in one pocket of the vest and  
my money in the other. I had six dollars and some  
change; the watch was worth forty dollars; she  
ran away and I ran after her; she went up stairs,  
I went up stairs halfway and then she came down  
(the prisoner) again and drew a knife against me; then she  
went out of the house, and every time when I came  
near her she went to use the knife against  
me. She went down the street and I spoke to a  
policeman and told him to help me and he did  
not understand me; then there was a German  
waiter came and I told him and he told the  
police; the chain was broke; I went with the pol-  
iceman up stairs and I found her there. We did

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not find the house at first, but after a little while we found it, and when we came to the house she was just coming out, I told the policeman, "Here she is"; she wanted to run away and the policeman took her. I did not get my watch and money back; the other girl ran away; she was larger than this one. Cross Examined I had been in a saloon where they played a piano; it was further down the street. I have only been in New York a month and a half. I came from Stuttgart. When I asked for 35<sup>th</sup> St. I spoke in German; she made a sign to come with her; the other girl, who was stronger than the prisoner, dragged me up to the house. I did not know what they wanted, I thought they wanted to show me where 35<sup>th</sup> St. was; it was right at the door the watch and money were taken from me. I felt the prisoner's hand a little in my pocket. I wanted my things back, I could not grab her because she ran away immediately; it was done so quick I do not know whether she took the watch or the money first; one girl was on one side and the other girl was on the other side; it was dark at the time, but not very dark. I had not been drinking freely that night. I had ~~four~~ <sup>four</sup> glasses of beer in the concert saloon, I live at 265 Thirty fifth St. I never saw the German waiter before. When this prisoner was arrested there was another girl with her. I did not point and tell the officer that it

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was the other girl that robbed me. I said it was this one; the girl who was with the prisoner when she was arrested was the girl who pulled me; the other girl was not locked up. I was confused but not drunk. Bernard McArdle swore. I am an officer and arrested the prisoner on the morning of the 19<sup>th</sup> of July between the hours of one and three o'clock at 28<sup>th</sup> St. and Seventh Ave. at the request of the complainant; she ran from Seventh Ave. towards Sixth and turned the corner when she seen ~~him~~ coming up Seventh Ave. ahead of me. We were looking for her at the time. I might be about 50 feet from her when she saw me; the complainant and his friend, who could speak English and German were behind me; she might have ran 25 feet when he halloed in German and I ran up; he got hold of the other girl and let her go and said the prisoner was the one. In the station house he said the other girl was with the prisoner. I could have taken the two if he had so at the time I arrested the prisoner. Cross Examined. It is not uncommon for unfortunate girls to run when they see policemen. At the Police Court the complainant identified the prisoner as the one who robbed him. I did not have the other girl at the station house, I let her go on the street because he said she did not take his watch. In the station house he said the other

girl helped to rob him. If he had told me that before I would have arrested her. The prisoner was not coming out of her house at the time I arrested her; she was going down Seventh avenue from 29<sup>th</sup> towards 28<sup>th</sup> St; it was a little over a block from her house. By Mr. Bell. Did you search the girl? Yes sir. What did you find on her? I found a dollar and a half in the heel of her stocking; she had 30 cents in her hand; she said her husband gave her the money that was in her stocking; I asked her husband in the morning and he denied it. I did not find the watch. Carrie Hart, sworn and examined in her own behalf. I live in Sullivan St. I have never been arrested for anything. I never saw the complainant before until I was arrested. I did not commit a robbery on him, I did not steal anything from him; he put his hands on the other girl first. Cross Examined. I don't know where the girl is, she is not an intimate friend of mine, she was going to the Restaurant to get her supper and I was going there too to the corner of 29<sup>th</sup> St. and Sixth ave. I do sewing and for two summers I have been traveling with a lady. I had been up town to see a lady friend of mine named Brown in 31<sup>st</sup> St. My man has worked at Long Branch. I admit that I be out late at night sometimes. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of larceny from the person. She was sent to the penitentiary for one year.

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Testimony in the case  
Barrie Hart  
filed Aug 4.

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Form 123.

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.:

Police Court—Second District.

265-35 ~~West~~ <sup>West between 7 & 8 ave</sup> ~~Street~~ <sup>between 7 & 8 ave</sup> ~~between 7 & 8 ave~~  
of No. ~~265-35 West between 7 & 8 ave~~ <sup>265-35 West between 7 & 8 ave</sup> being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July 1878

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away from the person of deponent, by force and violence, and against the will of deponent, the following property, viz.:

One Gold watch of the value of \$100.00 and Gold & law book money of the United States of the value of \$100.00

of the value of Forty and no/100 Dollars the property of Deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, by force and violence, and against his will, by

Carrie Hart  
(now living) who did seize hold of this deponent while passing through West 29<sup>th</sup> Street on said day & she did pull him forcibly into a Hall way & she there forcibly & against his will by violence, took & carried away his money & watch from his person as above said

Sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of July 1878  
Police Justice

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Police Court—Fifth District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Carrie Hart*

being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Carrie Hart*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*24 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Georgia*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*Fuller street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Domestic*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what,—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*Carrie Hart*

Taken before me, this

day of

*July 19 1880*

*J. H. [Signature]*

Police Justice.

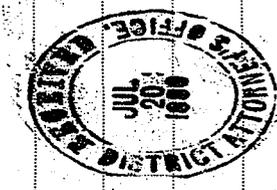
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Form 123  
POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.  
THE PEOPLE, & C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Arthur Schumaker*  
265 N. 35th St.  
vs.  
*Samie Dany*

Affidavit—Robbery.

Dated: *July 19* 18*80*.  
*Robert* Magistrate.  
*M. A. Noble* Officer.

Witness, *79*



\$ *1000* to ans.  
Bailed by  
No. *2022*  
Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present :

That *Currie Hart*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid,  
on the *Nineteenth* day of *July* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and  
*one watch of the value of Forty dollars —*

Divers Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there  
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes, of a number  
and denomination to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of  
which cannot now be given, of the value of *Six dollars*

Divers Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there  
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Bank Notes, of a number and denomina-  
tion to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of which cannot  
now be given, of the value of *Six dollars*

Divers Due Bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there  
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Fractional Currency, of a number and  
denomination to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of  
which cannot now be given, of the value of *One dollar*

Divers Coins, of a number, kind, and denomination to the Jurors aforesaid un-  
known, and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of  
*Six dollars —*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said *Gottlieb Schluger*  
from the person of said *Gottlieb Schluger* and against  
the will and by violence to the person of the said *Gottlieb Schluger*  
then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, against the form of  
the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State  
of New York, and their dignity.

*Benjamin Phelps*  
*District Attorney*

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*And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present*

**That** the said

late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid,  
with force and arms, at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

by

and certain other persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen of the said

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously  
stolen,) against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the  
People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

**BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Henderson, George

**DATE:**

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New York August 3<sup>rd</sup> / 80  
Friend Charles

Dr Sir

You are aware of my trouble for  
which you can help me a great deal  
as it is in your power not for my sake  
but for my old father's sake and also  
my family's sake if anything  
to help me in it will be the means  
of my good and of my father's and  
it is all in your hands if you'll  
try. I can be so much your  
friend and your father's friend  
and a father's friend is a  
thing that a father would give  
all the world to comfort him  
for which is now in your power to  
comfort mine and I would give  
from my last penny if I  
knew you would do it.

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Dear Mr. J. I don't say it  
and hoping you all the days  
I may be if you keep away from  
will get you in a better  
might if not to keep you in  
any in my mind and all your  
expenses will be paid and  
well but this is a good thing  
and will be paid by me  
I am sure and I am sure Mr. J.  
I am sure is going to put me  
on the slave and I am sure  
will get you in a better  
at my side and had some  
companions trusting that you  
I am sure you to give me  
feel all the time of your  
Committee

I remain your obedient

Respectfully  
George M. Thomas

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STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

of No. 7 Eldridge Street  
being duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 3 day of July  
1880 at the City of New York, in the County of New York

his rooms were burglariously  
entered and clothing of the value  
of one hundred dollars, stolen  
therefrom by Herman Levy, and  
Gustav Meyer. Heretofore com-  
mitted and George W. Mammus  
was present in the commission thereof.  
That said Geo. Mammus admitted  
to deponent that he in company  
with said Levy and Meyer  
broke into deponent's apartments  
and stole the aforesaid property.

Charles R Young.

Sworn to this

2 day of August 1880.

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public

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POLICE OFFICE, THIRD DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF 1880

*Charles [unclear]*  
*7 Eldridge St*  
*vs.*  
*George W. Mannus*  
*alias Henderson*

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RECORDED  
OFFICE  
Affidavit - England

Dated *2 August* 18*80*

*W. H. Hado* JUSTICE.  
OFFICER.

WITNESSES

*George Becker*  
*no 5 Eldridge St*

*no to [unclear]*  
*Com*

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133 Nassau St., New York.

Law Offices

The People &c

W. C. Farnsworth.

<sup>vs</sup>  
George M. Manus

Aug 5<sup>th</sup> 1850

Hon: H. A. Geldersleeve

Dear Sir:

The mother of George M. Manus charged with the offense of burglary, has visited me, and asked my assistance in her trouble, in my professional capacity, wishes me to act as her Son's Counsel on his trial. I have examined into the case, and advised her to employ a Criminal lawyer, but she says she has no means to pay one with. As I should be of little use to the prisoner on his trial, I have concluded to put the mother's statement before you in this way, trusting that you will see at the trial, that right and justice is done, I believe the statements of the woman and if they are

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W. O. Farnsworth.

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and moral discernment was too weak to discriminate between right and wrong in the matter, even if he considered the character of his act at all - of this you can judge somewhat by his appearance and conduct at the trial -

I recommend these things to your favorable consideration, and believe that you will, on the trial find means to satisfy yourself, what under the circumstances ought, in justice, to be done with the prisoner, and that the justice which you shall administer, if adverse, to him, will be tempered with such mercy, as the case, and his condition, may seem to demand.

I Remain very truly

Your Obedt. Servt.

W. O. Farnsworth

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true, the prisoner is scarcely responsible for his acts. She says that in his early boyhood he was injured in some way in bathing, which injury resulted in a permanent impairment of his intellect, and a physical disease known as St. Vitus Dance. That he is devoid of ordinary common sense, and is called "the fool" by his companions, and that one of his failings is that he will do almost any act that he may be directed to do, by those in whose company he may be.

Mr. Morrison, my associate, throws the young man and his parents and informs me that he has always considered him to be what is called foolish, and without any kind of his own or strength of mind; and knows his parents to be respectable people.

From all I can learn my view is, that the young man whatever he may have done, was "put up" to it by his evil companions whose influence and commands he had not the strength of mind to resist, and that his intellect.

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**TORN PAGE(S)**

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK }

*George McManus* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was  
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*George Henderson.*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*Twenty two years.*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*In England.*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*244 Cherry Street.*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*Waiter.*

Question.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the  
charge here preferred against you?

Answer.—*I am not guilty.*

*George Henderson*

Taken before me, this

*William J. ...*  
2 day of August 1880  
Police Court

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That *George Henderson* otherwise  
called *George McManus*

late of the *Tenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York, aforesaid, on the *Twelfth* day of *July* in the  
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* with force and  
arms, about the hour of *three* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

*Charles Young*  
there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter by means of forcibly

he the said *George Henderson*  
otherwise called *George McManus*

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels, and  
personal property of *Charles Young*

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and  
burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such  
case made and provided, and against the peace of the people of the State of New York  
and their dignity.

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, the said

*George Henderson* other-  
wise called *George McManus*

late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,

*Three Coats of the value of ten dollars each*  
*Three pairs of pantaloons of the value of six dollars each*  
*pair*  
*Three Vests of the value of three dollars each*  
*one watch of the value of twenty dollars*  
*one Chain of the value of twenty dollars*  
*one Countertpane of the value of three dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*Charles Young*  
in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously did steal,  
take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided,  
and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present  
That the said *George Henderson* otherwise  
called *George McManus*

late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the  
year aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*Three coats of the value of ten dollars each*  
*Three pairs of pantaloons of the value of six*  
*dollars each pair.*

*Three vests of the value of three dollars each*  
*one watch of the value of twenty dollars*  
*one chain of the value of twenty dollars*  
*one Compendium of the value of three*  
*dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*Charles Young*  
by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen of the said *Charles Young*

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said  
*George Henderson* otherwise called *George McManus*  
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property to have  
been feloniously stolen), against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided,  
and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Hennessy, Ellen

**DATE:**

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TRIAL FOR

COUNSEL,

Filed 12 day of Aug 1850

Pleas *Not Guilty* (13)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Ellen Kennedy*

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*Indictment for Disorderly House.*

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

*District Attorney.*

A True Bill.

*W. H. Keenan*

*Foreman.*

*Duly sworn*  
*Sept 1850*

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Police Court, Halls of Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

*Aaron K. Hundee*

of No. *115 Allen* Street, in the City of New York,  
being sworn, doth depose and say, that on the *24<sup>th</sup>* day of *July* in  
the year 18*80*, the premises known as No. *115 Allen* Street,  
in the City and County of New York, were kept, maintained, conducted, and occupied by

*Ellen Hennessy*

as a **DISORDERLY HOUSE**, namely, as a common bawdy-house and house of prostitution, and  
a resort for tipplers, drunkards, common prostitutes and ~~reputed thieves~~, with other vile, wicked, idle,  
dissolute and disorderly men and women and reputed thieves, who, or most of whom are in the practice  
of drinking, dancing, quarreling and fighting at almost all hours of the day and night, to the great  
damage and common nuisance of the People of the State of New York, residing in the neighborhood  
and passing thereby.

Deponent therefore prays, that the said *Ellen Hennessy*  
and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises, occupied by said

*Ellen Hennessy*  
may be dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided may direct; and further saith not.

Sworn before me, this *25<sup>th</sup>* day

of *July* 18*80*  
*M. W. [unclear]*

POLICE JUSTICE.

*A. H. Fendall*

*[Handwritten flourish]*

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Police Court—Halls of Justice.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Aaron K. Furdal  
115 Allen St

vs.

Eileen Hume



AFFIDAVIT—Disorderly House.

Dated July 25 1880

Magistrate.

James D. Keenan  
Officer.

transferred to  
Wendell Strong  
115 Allen Street  
\$500. S. S.  
Law

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Police Court, Halls of Justice.  
CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

of No. 115 Allen Aaron K. Hundee Street, in the City of New York,  
being sworn, doth depose and say, that on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of July in  
the year 1880, the premises known as No. 115 Allen Street,  
in the City and County of New York, were kept, maintained, conducted, and occupied by

Ellen Hummer

as a **DISORDERLY HOUSE**, namely, as a common bawdy-house and house of prostitution, and  
a resort for tipplers, drunkards, common prostitutes and ~~reputed thieves~~, with other vile, wicked, idle,  
dissolute and disorderly men and women and reputed thieves, who, or most of whom are in the practice  
of drinking, dancing, quarreling and fighting at almost all hours of the day and night, to the great  
damage and common nuisance of the People of the State of New York, residing in the neighborhood  
and passing thereby.

Deponent therefore prays, that the said Ellen Hummer  
and all ~~vile, disorderly and improper~~ persons found upon the premises, occupied by said  
Ellen Hummer  
may be dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided may direct; and further saith not.

Sworn before me, this 23<sup>rd</sup> day  
of July 1880

M. Van Alstede

POLICE JUSTICE.

A. H. Hendall

[Signature]

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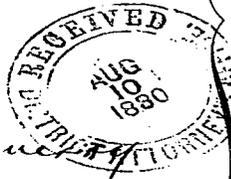
Police Court—Halls of Justice.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Aaron K. Fendae  
115 Allen St

vs.

Elean Hemmick



AFFIDAVIT—Disorderly House.

Dated

July 25 1880

Magistrate.

Presented to me  
by [unclear] Officer.

transferred to  
these [unclear]

Witness:

Bridges Strong  
115 Allen Street  
\$500. S. J.  
Coun

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York,*  
*upon their Oath, present:*

That *Ellen Hennessy* \_\_\_\_\_

late of the *Tenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York, on the *twenty-fourth* day of *July* in the year of  
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* and on divers other days  
and times, between that day and the day of the taking of this Inquisition, at the City  
and Ward, and in the County aforesaid, did keep and maintain, and yet continue to  
keep and maintain, a certain common, ill-governed and disorderly house, and in *her*  
\_\_\_\_\_ said house, for *her* own lucre and gain, certain persons, as  
well men as women, of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation, to frequent  
and come together, then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully and  
wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women, in *her*  
\_\_\_\_\_ said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on the said  
other days and times, there to be and remain, drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting,  
disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully,  
did permit, and yet continues to permit, to the great damage and common nuisance of  
the People of the said Ward, there inhabiting and residing, and of all the people there  
passing, to the evil example of all others in the like case offending, and against the  
peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Hoffmann, Charles

DATE:

08/04/80



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Filed 4 day of Aug 1880

Pleads

*Wm. H. Smith*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Assault and Battery - Felonious.

B

*Charles Hoffmann*

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Wm. H. Smith*

Foreman.

*Wm. H. Smith*

*Wm. H. Smith*

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Form

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss. :

POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

Lourence Connors  
of No. 422 East 20 Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 8 day of July 1880

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted and  
beaten by

Charles Hoffman (now present)

who pointed a loaded  
revolver at deponent. Said  
revolver was loaded with  
gunpowder and I will  
swear when he pointed  
it at me you saw of a  
stick I will blow  
you Harris out

Deponent believes that said injury, as above set forth, was inflicted by said

Charles Hoffman  
with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do him bodily harm, and without any justification  
on the part of the said assailant :

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be apprehended, and dealt with accord-  
ing to law.

Lourence Connors

Sworn to, before me, this

Police Justice.

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.:  
OF NEW YORK, }

*Charles Hoffmann* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at  
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to ~~him~~ states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Charles Hoffmann*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty Seven Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *117 Tenth St*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Clerk*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge  
here preferred against you?

Answer. *I am not guilty*  
*Charles Hoffmann*

*John J. [Signature]*  
Taken before me this  
day of [Month] 189[Year]  
JOHN J. [Signature]  
POLICE JUSTICE

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*James C. Conroy*  
 vs.  
*the Charity Hospital*  
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Dated *July 9* 18*80*  
*Shuff* Magistrate.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Officer.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

Witnesses  
*James Conroy*  
*James J. Retention*  
*of 300 Col. City*

§ *SR* answer  
 at General Sessions.  
 Received at Dist. Atty's Office, 1880



BAILED:  
 No. 1, by *Jacob Foster*  
 Residence, *W 1/2 Broadway*

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 6, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence, \_\_\_\_\_

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CITY AND COUNTY )  
OF NEW YORK. ) ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York,*  
*upon their Oath, present :*

That

*Charles Hoffmann*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *eighth* day of *July* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy-eight~~ *eighty* with force and arms, at the City and  
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Lawrence Connor*  
in the peace of the said people, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault  
and to, at and against *him* the said *Lawrence Connor*  
a certain *revolver* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one  
lead bullet, which the said *Charles Hoffmann*  
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and  
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there shoot off and discharge,  
with intent *him* the said *Lawrence Connor*  
thereby then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute  
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of  
New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

*And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present :* That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year last aforesaid, at the City and County  
aforesaid, the said

*Charles Hoffmann*  
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Lawrence Connor*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make  
an assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Lawrence Connor*  
a certain *revolver* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one  
lead bullet, which the said *Charles Hoffmann*  
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and  
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there attempt to discharge,  
with intent *him* the said *Lawrence Connor*  
thereby then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute  
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of  
New York and their dignity.

## THIRD COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said

*Charles Hoffmann*  
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Lawrence*  
*Connor* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make an  
assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Lawrence*  
*Connor* a certain *pistole* then and there loaded and  
charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistole* the said  
in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and  
without justifiable and excusable cause, did then, and there shoot off and discharge,  
with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said  
*Lawrence Connor*  
wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, against the form of the Statute in  
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of  
New York and their dignity.

## FOURTH COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said

*Charles Hoffmann*  
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Lawrence*  
*Connor* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make an  
assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Lawrence*  
*Connor* a certain *pistole* then and there loaded and  
charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistole* the said  
in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and  
without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there attempt to shoot off and  
discharge, with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said  
*Lawrence Connor*  
wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, against the form of the Statute in  
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New  
York and their dignity.

**BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Hogan, Mary

**DATE:**

08/12/80



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Morris, Mary

**DATE:**

08/12/80



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Filed 12 day of Aug 1850

Pleads

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 THE PEOPLE,  
 vs.  
 Mary Hogan P.  
 Mary Morris P.  
 17  
 Indictment for Receiving Stolen Goods.  
 Aug 12 1850 P.S.K.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*[Signature]*

Foreman.

Aug 13- 1850

Both Pleas P. 2

*[Signature]*

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Police Office. Third District.

City and County of New York, ss.: Ellen Williams  
No. of 99 Eedridge Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. 99 Eedridge Street, 10<sup>th</sup> Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a brick-building and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking the latch of the bed room window looking into the hall of the 2<sup>d</sup> floor of same premises

on the night of the 14<sup>th</sup> day of July 1880, and the following property, feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz..

one gold ring of the value of fourteen dollars

the property of the deponent

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen and carried away by

Mary Hogan and Mary Morris

for the reasons following, to-wit: for the reason that the deponent confessed to deponent that they had stolen the aforesaid property & had pawned it with a pawn broker at M. E. Leonard 126 South 8<sup>th</sup> St. receiving therefor the sum of four dollars.

Ellen Williams

Sumner to be sworn on this 21<sup>st</sup> day of July 1880  
M. Green  
J. W. ...

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Mary Morris being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that She was  
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to her, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—Mary Morris

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—17 years

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—Brooklyn

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—801 Fulton St Brooklyn

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—Dress Maker

Question.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the  
charge here preferred against you?

Answer.—I brook in the place but  
not with the intention to steal &  
Mary ~~Escapes~~ took the key and we  
went over to Brooklyn and passed  
it

Marie Morris

Taken before me, this  
27 day of July  
1880  
Maxim O'Sullivan  
Police Justice.

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Mary Hagan being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that she was  
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to her, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—Mary Hagan

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—17 years

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—Brooklyn

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—No 8 St Felix St. Brooklyn

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—I am living out as servant

Question.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the  
charge here preferred against you?

Answer.—I went with many Morris  
to the Haun, Mary Morris nursed at the  
apone and there was an accused  
Mary Rosa I guess they as in bed  
she then opened the Bed Room Window  
and ~~she~~ went in side, she opened the  
door from the inside and let me  
in. Mary Morris took the key  
I was present when ~~she~~ found it  
the key was passed.

Mary Hagan

Taken before me, this  
27<sup>th</sup> day of July  
Marcus DeBorja Police Justice.  
1886

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Form 115.

POLICE COURT--THIRD DISTRICT,

THE PEOPLE, & C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Edouard Orleans*  
99 Storage St.

*Mary Hogan*  
*Mary Adams*

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Dated *July 27* 188*8*

*Arvid S. Wade* Magistrate,  
to *W. S. [unclear]* Clerk.

Witnesses,  
*Maggie Murphy*  
*Mrs. Mary [unclear] of [unclear] St. Murphy.*

No. *Henry McAlister* Street, *Portland*

No. *194 [unclear]* Street, *Y*

No. *No. 6. Sand [unclear]* Street, *1880*

*Each*

Received in Dist. Atty's Office,  
*Edouard Orleans*

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That

*Mary Hogan and Mary Morris each*

late of the *Tenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York, aforesaid, on the *fourteenth* day of *July* in the  
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *seventy-eight* with force and  
arms, about the hour of *ten* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

*Ellen Williams -*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter by means of forcibly  
*breaking open an outer window of said dwelling*  
*house* by the said

*Mary Hogan and Mary Morris -*

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels, and  
personal property of

*Ellen Williams*

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and  
burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such  
case made and provided, and against the peace of the people of the State of New York  
and their dignity.

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, the said

*Mary Hogan and Mary Morris each*

late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,

*One ring of the value of fourteen dollars,*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*Ellen Williams*

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously did steal,  
take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided,  
and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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~~CITY AND COUNTY~~ }  
~~OF NEW YORK,~~ } ~~ss.~~

And *aforsaid* THE JURORS ~~OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.~~

~~in and for the body of the City and County of New York,~~

upon their Oath, ~~they~~ *aforsaid* do further present

That *each* ~~the~~ said *Mary Hogan and Mary Morris*  
late of the ~~First~~ *Tenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,  
on the *fourteenth* day of *July* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *Eighty* with force and arms, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*one ring of the value of fourteen dollars*

of the goods, Chattels and personal property of *Ellen Williams*

by *a certain person or*  
and certain other persons, to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously  
stolen of the said *Ellen Williams*

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have  
(the said *Mary Hogan and Mary Morris*

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property to have  
been feloniously stolen), against the form of the Statute in such case made and pro-  
vided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Hurley, Delia

**DATE:**

08/03/80



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Counsel,  
Filed 3 day of Aug 1880  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*Delia Dunley*  
 F  
 Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney

A True Bill.  
*B. K. Phelps*  
Foreman.

Aug. 3. 1880.  
*Wm. G. J.*  
House of Refuge.

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Police Court—Fifth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Delia Hurley* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Delia Hurley*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *15 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *125<sup>th</sup> Street First Avenue*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *I live with my parents*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what,—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer. *I dont want to say anything.*

Taken before me, this *22* } *Delia Hurley*  
day of *July* 18*80* }

*R. H. Prigby* Police Justice.

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5<sup>th</sup>

District Police Court

Affidavit - Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Edward Cornell

of No. 7 Mercer Street,

in the City of New York

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 7 day of July 1885

at the City of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent from the possession of deponent while deponent was the following property, viz:

living in Bergen County New Jersey and afterwards brought to the City County & State of New York

the following property

- One diamond ring of the value of thirty five dollars,
- One diamond stud of the value of fifty dollars,

the property of deponent

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by

Delia Sturley from the fact that one Thomas Thompson an employee on the Ferry Road in Newark saw the ring in her possession and said Delia admits that she took said property & it was found in the pawn office where Delia's mother pledged it. That

Subscribed and sworn to this

day of

1885

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said she in says that  
she told her mother  
that she found the  
property in the 130th

Edward E. Connel

Brought before me  
this 22<sup>d</sup> day of July 1880  
R. V. Bixby Police Justice

610  
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District Police Court.

AFFIDAVIT - Larceny.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward E. Connel  
by Mrs. Connel  
Debra Connel

DATED 22 July 1880  
R. V. Bixby, MAGISTRATE.  
Kelly 34 OFFICER.

WITNESSES:  
Racherty cent  
W. Property Clerk  
500th  
Connel



DEPOSITION

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present:

That *Delia Hurley*

~~late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the~~  
*Third* day of *July* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty            at the Ward, City and County aforesaid  
with force and arms,

*one ring of the value thirty five  
dollars*

*one button of the kind called  
a stud of the value of fifty  
dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Edward E. Coumell* then and  
there being found, feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such  
case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their  
dignity.

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

That the said

*Delia Hurley*

late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*one ring of the value of thirty five dollars*

*one button of the kind called a Stud of the value of fifty dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

by a certain person or persons, to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen of the said

*Edward E. Couell*  
*Edward E. Couell*

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

*Delia Hurley*

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously stolen,) against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Hyer, Louis

**DATE:**

08/05/80



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CLERK OF THE COURT  
NEW YORK COUNTY

IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
JANUARY 1850

Counsel,  
Filed 5 day of Aug 1850  
Pleads

Indictment, Larceny.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Louis Alger,*

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*[Signature]*  
Foreman.

*[Signature]*  
S. J. Two years & 6 m.

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FORM 112.

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } s.

Police Court—Third District.

*Emma Smith*

of No. *95 Chrystie* Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says that on the *30<sup>th</sup>* day of *July* 18*80*

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away from the possession of deponent.

the following property viz: *one coat, one pair of pants  
one vest*

of the value of *Fifty* Dollars

the property of *deponent's husband John Smith and  
then in charge of this deponent*

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect; and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by *Lewis Hyer (now here)*

*for the reason that deponent caught said  
Lewis Hyer in the act of taking  
stealing and carrying away said  
property; which he had taken from  
a closet on said premises, that*

*Emma Smith*

Sworn to, before me this

*30<sup>th</sup>*

*Henry of  
Hiram  
1880  
Police Justice*

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Louis Hyer* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was  
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*Louis Hyer*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*18 years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*England*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*180 East 30 Street*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*Tailor*

Question.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the  
charge here preferred against you?

Answer.—*I am guilty*

*Louis Hyer*

Taken before me, this *30* day of *July* 187*8*  
*Moran*  
Police Justice.

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

\_\_\_\_\_ being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at  
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows,  
viz:

*Question.* What is your name?

*Answer.*

*Question.* How old are you?

*Answer.*

*Question.* Where were you born?

*Answer.*

*Question.* Where do you live?

*Answer.*

*Question.* What is your occupation?

*Answer.*

*Question.* Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the  
charge here preferred against you?

*Answer.*

Taken before me, this \_\_\_\_\_

day of \_\_\_\_\_

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POLICE JUSTICE.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT:

Name, \_\_\_\_\_  
Address, \_\_\_\_\_

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT:

Name, \_\_\_\_\_  
Address, \_\_\_\_\_

POLICE COURT—THIRD DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Emerson Smith*  
vs.  
*95 Chrysler St.*

*Louis Rye*

AFFIDAVIT—LARCENY.

BAILED.

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

No. 6, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Date *July 20* 18*80*

*M. A. [unclear]* Magistrate.

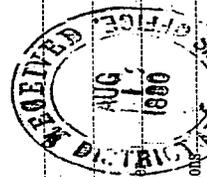
*Henry [unclear]* Officer.

Clerk

Witnesses *William [unclear]*

*95 Chrysler St.*

*Queen Anne Officers*



\$ *10.00* to answer

at *Samuel* Sessions

Received at Dist. Attys Office,

*[Signature]*

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That

*Louis Hyer*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, afore-  
said, on the ~~thirteenth~~ *July* day of ~~July~~ *July* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms

*One coat of the value of thirty Dollars,  
One vest of the value of ten Dollars,  
One pair of pantaloons of the value  
of ten Dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*John Simp*

then and  
there being found, feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the  
Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the  
State of New York and their dignity.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**